



STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE  
**American Recovery  
and Reinvestment Act**



**REVISED**

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE  
DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING FOR:  
AMERICAN RECOVERY AND REINVESTMENT ACT OF 2009

- CLEAN WATER STATE REVOLVING FUND LOAN PROGRAM
- DRINKING WATER STATE REVOLVING FUND LOAN PROGRAM

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**CLEAN WATER STATE REVOLVING FUND LOAN PROGRAM:**

In accordance with the provisions of the Clean Water Act, as amended by the Water Quality Act of 1987, the New Hampshire Department of Environmental Services will hold a public hearing on the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 Draft Intended Use Plan and Project Priority List and Title VI Revolving Loan Fund amended Fiscal Year 2009 Draft Intended Use Plan.

**DRINKING WATER STATE REVOLVING FUND LOAN PROGRAM:**

In accordance with the provisions of the Safe Drinking Water Act (SDWA) Amendments of 1996, the New Hampshire Department of Environmental Services will hold a public hearing on the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 Draft Intended Use Plan and Project Priority List and Fiscal Year 2008 amended Intended Use Plan

**The joint hearing will be held in the Auditorium of the Department of Environmental Services Building, 29 Hazen Drive, Concord, New Hampshire on Friday, April 3, 2009.** The morning session will begin at 9:00 a.m. with a brief presentation by the Department of Environmental Services. The presentation will be followed by a comment period on the Clean Water State Revolving Loan Fund Program's intended use of funds. A second comment period will then occur on the Drinking Water State Revolving Fund Loan Program's intended use of funds. **The same agenda will be followed when the hearing is continued at 1p.m. after a noon-time break.**

The American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 is providing funding through the existing State Revolving Fund Loan (SRF) programs. The goal of these funds is to expeditiously fund eligible infrastructure projects that simultaneously will create jobs throughout New Hampshire, promote economic recovery, and generate long-term benefits from infrastructure investment. Due to the need to expedite the process, the Department is abbreviating the public review and comment period for both programs. The goal is to maximize funding from the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 not only through the SRF programs but other state and federal programs. Please note that the project priority lists are preliminary and may change as other state and federal ARRA funding becomes available.

The Draft Intended Use Plans and Project Priority lists can be reviewed at [www.des.nh.gov/recovery](http://www.des.nh.gov/recovery)

**BY ORDER OF THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE  
DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES**

**Thomas S. Burack  
Commissioner**